ECE 598 – Advanced Operating Systems Lecture 6

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Announcements

Homework #2 will be released shortly

• Raspberry Pi 2???



BCM2835 UART on the Pi

- Section 13 of the Peripheral Manual
- Two UARTS. Mini (pc reg layout compat) and ARM PL011. We use the latter.
- No IrDA or DMA support, no 1.5 stop bits.
- Separate 16x8 transmit and 16x12 receive FIFO memory.
 Why 12? 4 bits of error info on receive. overrun (FIFO overflowed), break (data held low over full time), parity, frame (missing stop bit).



- Programmable baud rate generator.
- start, stop and parity. These are added prior to transmission and removed on reception.
- False start bit detection.
- Line break generation and detection.
- Support of the modem control functions CTS and RTS.
 However DCD, DSR, DTR, and RI are not supported.
- Programmable hardware flow control.



- Fully-programmable serial interface characteristics: data can be 5, 6, 7, or 8 bits
- even, odd, stick, or no-parity bit generation and detection
- 1 or 2 stop bit generation
- baud rate generation, dc up to UARTCLK/16
- 1/8, 1/4, 1/2, 3/4, and 7/8 FIFO interrupts



BCM2835 UART

- Can map to GPIO14/15 (ALT0), GPIO36/37 (ALT2), GPIO32/33 (ALT3)
- Base ni 0x20201000, 18 registers



Hooking up Cable to Pi

- Linux should come with a driver. May need to download PL2303 OSX or Windows driver.
- Some useful documentation:

```
http://www.adafruit.com/products/954
```

https://learn.adafruit.com/adafruits-raspberry-

- Adapter will provide 5V to your board, won't even need to USB-micro cable.
- Hookup:



Red (5V) to pin 2, Black (GND) to pin 6 White (TXD) to pin 8 (GPIO14) Green (RXD) to pin 10 (GPIO15)



Inline Assembly

- Can write assembly code from within C
- gcc inline assembly is famously hard to understand/write
- volatile keyword tells compiler to not try to optimize the code within



- : output operands
 - = means write-only, + is read/write r=general reg
- : input operandss

- clobbers list of registers that have been changed memory is possible, as is cc for status flags
- can use %[X] to refer to reg X that can then use
 [X] "r"(x) to map to C variable



MMIO

- Memory mapped I/O
- As opposed to separate I/O space (as found on x86 and some other processors)
- For HW#2 instead of using array for MMIO access, we will use inline assembly



UART Interrupts

- Supports one interrupt (UARTRXINTR), which is signaled on the OR of the following interrupts:
 - 1. UARTTXINTR if FIFO less than threshold or (if FIFO disabled) no data present
 - 2. UARTRTINTR if receive FIFO crosses threshold or (if FIFO disabled) data is received
 - 3. UARTMSINTR which can be caused by
 - UARTCTSINTR (change in nUARTCTS)
 - UARTDSRINTR (change in the nUARTDSR)



- 4. UARTEINTR (error in reception)
 - UARTOEINTR (overrun error)
 - UARTBEINTR (break in reception)
 - UARTPEINTR (parity error)
 - UARTFEINTR (framing error)



UART Init Code

```
/* Disable UART */
mmio_write(UARTO_CR, 0x0);
/* Setup GPIO pins 14 and 15 */
/* Disable the pull up/down on pins 14 and 15 */
/* See the Peripheral Manual for more info */
/* Configure to disable pull up/down and delay for 150 cycles */
mmio_write(GPIO_GPPUD, GPIO_GPPUD_DISABLE);
delay (150);
/* Pass the disable clock to GPIO pins 14 and 15 and delay*/
mmio_write(GPIO_GPPUDCLKO, (1 << 14) | (1 << 15));
delay(150);
/* Write 0 to GPPUDCLKO to make it take effect */
mmio_write(GPIO_GPPUDCLKO, 0x0);
/* Clear pending interrupts. */
mmio_write(UARTO_ICR, 0x7FF);
```

```
/* Set integer & fractional part of baud rate. */
/* Divider = UART_CLOCK/(16 * Baud)
                                                */
/* Fraction part register = (Fractional part * 64) + 0.5 */
/* UART_CLOCK = 3000000; Baud = 115200.
/* Enable FIFO */
/* And 8N1 (8 bits of data, no parity, 1 stop bit */
mmio_write(UARTO_LCRH, UARTO_LCRH_FEN | UARTO_LCRH_WLEN_8BIT);
/* Mask all interrupts. */
mmio_write(UARTO_IMSC, UARTO_IMSC_CTS | UARTO_IMSC_RX |
                        UARTO_IMSC_TX | UARTO_IMSC_RT |
                        UARTO_IMSC_FE | UARTO_IMSC_PE |
                        UARTO_IMSC_BE | UARTO_IMSC_OE);
/* Enable UARTO, receive, and transmit */
mmio_write(UARTO_CR, UARTO_CR_UARTEN |
                        UARTO_CR_TXE |
                        UARTO_CR_RXE);
```

UART Send byte

```
void uart_putc(unsigned char byte) {
    /* Check Flags Register */
    /* And wait until FIFO not full */
    while ( mmio_read(UARTO_FR) & UARTO_FR_TXFF ) {
    }

    /* Write our data byte out to the data register */
    mmio_write(UARTO_DR, byte);
}
```



UART Receive byte

```
unsigned char uart_getc(void) {
    /* Check Flags Register */
    /* Wait until Receive FIFO is not empty */
    while ( mmio_read(UARTO_FR) & UARTO_FR_RXFE ) {
    }

    /* Read and return the received data */
    /* Note we are ignoring the top 4 error bits */
    return mmio_read(UARTO_DR);
}
```



Escape Codes

- VT102/Ansi
- Historical reasons, oldest terminals. Used to be hundreds of types supported (see termcap file)
- Color, cursor movement
- The escape character (ASCII 27) used to specify extra commands



Carriage Return vs Linefeed

- Typewriters
- Carriage return (r), go to beginning of line
- Linefeed (n), move down a row
- DOS uses both CRLF
- UNIX uses just LF



- MAC uses just CR
- Which does your terminal program use?



Writing header files

Including with "" versus <>



Writing printk



Scanning ATAGS

- List of variables passed by bootloader. A standard.
- We mostly care about getting memory size.
- Size, Tag-type, additional
- Located traditionally at 0x800 but you should really check r3 for addr.
- Starts with ATAG_CORE



- Ends with ATAG_NONE
- We wants ATAG_MEM and maybe ATAG_CMDLINE on Raspberry Pi.



Parsing Command Line

- Read into buffer
- When CR or LF happens, pass buffer to string that handles things.
- Complications: backspace? UNIX challenge
- Writing a parser, how? W/o strlen, strtok, etc?

